

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 632  
By Cochran

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Grant Hardin for his  
exceptional efforts in historic interpretation.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those  
citizens who through their extraordinary efforts have worked to preserve the collective history of  
the citizens of the state of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy person is Grant Hardin of Hampton, who was recently  
honored with the East Tennessee Historical Society Special Award of Distinction for his  
outstanding efforts to preserve, interpret, and promote East Tennessee history; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hardin was nominated for this special award by the Rocky Mount  
Museum for his dedication to historical research and accurate portrayal of historic characters of  
regional and national significance; and

WHEREAS, an interpreter at Rocky Mount Museu, Grant Hardin has shared his love of  
history and introduced thousands of people from the region and beyond to East Tennessee  
history through his portrayal of East Tennessee's historic figures; and

WHEREAS, with an incomparable pride and dedication to preserving local and regional history, Mr. Hardin epitomizes the spirit and commitment that are characteristic of a true Tennessean, and he should be specially recognized; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to acknowledge and applaud Grant Hardin for his dedication to the state of Tennessee and its citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and commend Grant Hardin for his meritorious service to the state of Tennessee, congratulate him upon winning the East Tennessee Historical Society Special Award of Distinction, and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.